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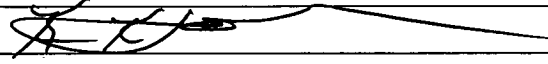
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The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Office Action mailed August 25, 2004, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expires on November 25, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.